December 1, 2014

To all apartment complex owners and/or property managers,

The office of Lafayette Fire Prevention has been and will continue to enforce the following codes from the Indiana Fire Code (2014) which prohibits the use of charcoal and LP gas grills or other charcoal or LP gas cooking devices on combustible balconies or within 10' of combustible construction.

Reference Number: IFC 308.1.4 Open-Flame cooking devices

Charcoal burners and other open-flame cooking devices shall not be operated on combustible balconies or within 10 feet (3048 mm) of combustible construction. Exceptions: 1. One- and two-family dwellings. 2. Where buildings, balconies and decks are protected by an automatic sprinkler system.

For questions, please, call the Lafayette Fire Department at 765-807-1600.

Respectfully,

Lafayette Fire Prevention